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—FRIDAY, JULY 6, 1900.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Congress, Second District,
 HON. HENRY D. ALLEN.

Electoral Ticket.

MORTON K. YONTS, of Muhlenberg.
 NAPOLEON B. HAYS, of Bell.
 WARD HEADLEY, of Caldwell.
 A. G. STANLEY, of Henderson.
 EDWARD E. HODDY, of Simpson.
 J. F. O'MEARA, of Hardin.
 DANIEL J. BROOKS, of J. Person.
 H. M. FROHMAN, of Carroll.
 VICTOR E. DRAMLEY, of Scott.
 W. J. FRIE, of Boyle.
 JOSEPH D. FELIX, of Bracken.
 A. E. STAMMER, of Wolfe.
 JNO. W. COLLIER, of Pulaski.

Democratic Conventions.

The convention to nominate a candidate for governor will be held Thursday, July 19. Conventions will be held in each voting precinct on Saturday, July 14, at 2 p. m., to select delegates to county conventions on Monday, July 16, when delegates will be selected to the Lexington convention.

Jesse L. Edmundson's new Republican paper, the Dixon Banner, appeared last week.

In a railroad accident at Parkersburg, W. Va., six lives were lost and 25 to 35 other people injured, some so badly that they will die from their injuries.

An excursion car at Tacoma, Wash., jumped the track at a sharp curve and falling sixty feet killed and injured 55 people, just one half of those in the car. At least 26 will die.

It is no use to try to harmonize the national ticket unless the conservative course is to be pursued in regard to the State ticket. Complete harmony is necessary to win.

A judge at Fort Scott granted Mrs. Emma Collins a divorce on condition that she not marry again. The woman went to another state and became Mrs. Johnson. The judge hearing of it has enjoined her from living with Johnson and has annulled the decree divorcing her from Collins.

So far as we have been able to gather, James D. Black is the decided favorite of the democrats in this county for governor and we believe they will so express themselves in the precinct conventions on the 14th. We know they will if they will assert themselves. He appears to be the logic of the situation and the man to unite a very much divided party, and which, when united, all shades and its ally, the republican party, can not prevail against.—Stanford Journal.

In 1899 the vote in the Second Congressional district stood 18,108 for Goebel and 16,350 for Taylor. This majority of only 1,758 was all that was left of the magnificent majority of 6,200 in 1896. In the same race Beckham received only 17,030 votes or 1,078 less than Goebel. He was far behind in 1899 and there is no evidence that he has gained in strength since then. Do not handicap Bryan with a candidate who can only weaken the ticket.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's catarrh cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, it requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature to do its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred dollars for any case that it will not cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENNEY & Co., Toledo, O.

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SAVE BRYAN AND HAZELRIGG.

When the 1897 majority of 17,000 was overturned by the split in the party last year, and 12,000 Democrats voted for Brown and as many more either voted for Taylor or refused to go to the polls, the result was not merely a plurality for Taylor. The Appellate district now represented by Judge Hazelrigg went Republican by 3,400 majority and the Third, Fourth, Fifth, Eighth, Ninth and Tenth districts, now represented by Democrats, were carried by Taylor. In the Second district, the Democratic majority of 6,200 in 1896 was cut down to 1,700, with a net gain of 725 in Christian county. But for the good work done in this county the Democratic majority would have been less than 900 votes. With the race made this year on the same lines the Democrats cannot elect more than four Congressmen and the Court of Appeals will become Republican, a calamity worse than a Republican Legislature. Hanna is already claiming Kentucky and as the Federal Court is not prosecuting Republicans for buying white votes there are no serious obstacles in the way of Republicans corrupting the ballot with money. On the other hand a Democratic farmer cannot hire a negro to drive his wagon on election day without being threatened with the penitentiary. Former contests in Kentucky dwindle into insignificance when compared to the one just ahead us.

The Courier-Journal has sounded a note of warning. Senator Blackburn is counseling harmony. Thoughtful leaders all over the State are alive to the party danger, and we believe the wisdom of the party for once will assert itself.

Many of the Brown Democrats in this city openly state they will vote for any good man not prominent in the fight last year. It is said Judge Hazelrigg will accept a renomination if a good conservative leader is put up to bring back the dissatisfied vote and bring out the mountain Democrats.

Black and Hazelrigg both on the ticket could redeem the Seventh Appellate district and the 9th and 10th Congressional districts.

Any good new man could unite the party and save the 3rd, 4th and 8th districts. It is even possible to elect a Democrat in the 5th by pulling together, but it cannot be done by a rule or ruin policy.

With such men to choose from as Black, Lewis, and McCreary, it will be disloyalty to Bryan to handicap him with our factional fights and invite defeat in November.

No confirmation of the report that the Oregon has been floated has been received. Mr. Buck, United States Minister at Tokio, telegraphed the State Department today that the Japanese Government had sent a vessel to the Oregon's assistance. This is evidently the cruiser Akitsushima, which, as Lieut. Key, the United States naval attaché at Tokio wired yesterday, had left Chefoo for Pinnacle Rock, where the Oregon is grounded.

With the exception of a few excited pie-hunters in this county, these seems to be a universal determination among Democrats of all shades to keep as cool as possible these sultry days and get together on some sort of harmony basis. Conservatism and wisdom will prevail at Lexington and some new leader will be nominated to lead us forward and let the dead past bury its dead.

The Aerial Wonders.

The June number of The Alkahest, Atlanta, Ga., is marked by the abundance of its clever fiction, a feature to be appreciated this hot weather. It has scored a decided hit by securing a new serial from Harris Dickson, whose success with his novel, "The Black Wolf's Breed," has made him one of the foremost story tellers of America. "A Marquis of Mississippi," the new serial that begins with the June number, is a Southern story, the scene being laid around Vicksburg during the dogged siege of that town by Grant.

"You Can't Catch the Wind in a Net."

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England's Idol.

"Little Bob," England's idol in South Africa, has sunk into oblivion beside the great program at the Lexington Horse, Fair and Carnival, Aug. 13-18.

An Essay On Boys.

This is a small girl's essay on boys quoted by the Detroit Journal:

"The boy is not an animal, yet they can be made of considerable distance. When a boy hollars he opens his big mouth like frogs, but girls hold their tongues till they are spoken to, and answer respectable at a tell just how it was. A boy thinks himself clever because he can waste where the water is deep. When a boy grows up he is called a hus and, and then he stop wading and stays out nights, but the grown up girl is a widow and keeps house."

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Black At Elkton.

Elkton, Ky., July 4.—James D. Black, of Knox county, Democratic candidate for nomination for Governor, spoke in this city this afternoon to a large crowd. His speech was along the lines of his other talks made during his canvass, and was an eloquent plea for harmony in the party. He urged the Democrats to forget their family quarrels, get together and nominate a man who can win. He spoke about one hour and a half and made a fine impression.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble, and Don't Know It.

How To Find Out.
 Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

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COUNCIL MEETING.

Not known What Plans the Independents Have.

The City Council will meet in regular session to-night. If the question of electing a Republican to be police judge is to be brought up, the fact is being kept very quiet. A majority of the council denies the Governor's authority to fill vacancies in city offices, but at the last meeting they were unable to agree and the matter went over without action.

Arm Badly Blistered.

Mrs. J. P. Meacham, of Gracey, is suffering with a scalded arm. She was carrying a pan of hot water, when she tipped her toe and fell. The contents splashed her arm below the wrist, badly blistering the limb.

SALES ON FOURTH

Were Smaller Than Those of Last Week.

The sales of the week on the local market this week were not so large as those of last week owing largely to the fact that the principal sale day fell on the Fourth. Very little good to fine tobacco was disposed of, but prices were about the same as quoted for the past two weeks on these grades. Prices on lugs were a shade stronger and considerable of this class went off at satisfactory figures. The quotations of last week fairly represent the Hopkinsville market, except as to lugs, which were from 25c to 50c higher. Receipts are light and will continue to grow smaller, as about all of the crop of 1899 has been delivered.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE BANK OF LAFAYETTE,
 at close of business on the 30th day of June, 1900.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts, less	
Loans to Directors.....	\$23,140 84
Loans to Directors (officers not included).....	781 20
Overdrafts unsecured.....	184 71
Due from National Banks.....	\$3,129 76
Due from State Banks and Bankers.....	2,793 35
Due from Trust Companies.....	642 94
Banking House and Lot.....	1,500 00
Mortgages.....	453 00
Specie.....	\$1,210 16
Currency.....	2,317 00
Exchange for Clearings.....	3,827 06
Other Items Carried as Cash.....	67 10
Furniture and Fixtures.....	1,500 00
	\$37,700 36

LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock paid in, in cash.....	\$15,000 00
Surplus Fund.....	500 00
Deposits subject to check on which interest is not paid.....	21,447 59
Certified checks.....	21,447 59
Bills payable not due.....	200 00
Unpaid Dividends.....	470 00
Amount set aside to pay taxes.....	82 77
	\$37,700 36

STATE OF KENTUCKY,
 COUNTY OF CHRISTIAN.
 Henry M. Massie, cashier of The Bank of Lafayette, a bank located and doing business at No. 1 Main street, in the Town of Lafayette, in said county, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of said bank, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1900, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State, designating the 30th day of June, 1900, as the day on which such report shall be made.

HENRY M. MASSIE, Cashier.
 H. C. LOCKER, Director.
 R. J. CAROTHERS, Director.
 ED. R. B. GARD, Director.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me by Henry M. Massie, Cashier, this 3rd day of July, 1900.
 JNO. P. PROWSE, Clerk.
 By H. C. LOCKER, D. C.

Died in Asylum.

Mr. Owen Murphy, an asylum patient, died at the institution Monday night. He had been in the asylum for seventeen years. The remains were taken to Owensboro, his old home, Wednesday, for interment.

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